

Atty. Dkt. No. 040302-0343

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Ryuji FUKADA et al.

Title:

MANUFACTURING METHOD OF ENDLESS METAL BELT AND MANUFACTURING APPARATUS OF ENDLESS

METAL BELT

Appl. No.:

10/644,087

Filing Date: 8/20/2003

Examiner:

Essama Omgba

Art Unit:

3726

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.

The fee required for additional claims is calculated below: [X]

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	18	-	20	=	0	x	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation	of ar	ny Multiple I	Depen	ndent Claims:	+	\$360.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

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[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 3 total number of months checked below		a) for the
[] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	\$0.00
[X] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$450.00	\$450.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION F	FEE TOTAL:	\$450.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$130.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER I	FEE TOTAL:	\$450.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract	½ of above):	\$0.00
7	TOTAL FEE:	\$450.00

- [X] A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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